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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Application Serial No. 09/364,099 ) Group Art Unit: 1733  
Filed: July 30, 1999 ) Examiner: Knable, G.  
For: CARCASS STRUCTURE FOR )  
TYRES AND TYRE HAVING THE )  
CARCASS STRUCTURE )

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The items checked below are attached:

- ☒ Amendment After Final (19 pages);
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